Miller & Rhoads.

"Marquise" White Waists \$1.48

WORTH FROM \$2.00 TO \$4.00.

The word "Marquiso" on a Waist is a guarantee that the garment is first class in every particular. Therefore when we announce this morning that

White Walsts Worth \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 Will be Sold for \$1.48 Each.

You'll know that the most extraordinarily good waist values of the winter are now here.

Manufacturers, like retailers close out their surplus stock of garmonts at almost any prices they can get when the wholesale season is drawing

This special lot of "Marquise" Waists come to us under such circumstances, and every Waist in perfect condition-each garment coming to us in a separate box.

Basket weave Madras, heavy welt Pique of white stitched in black, plain Pique, dotted Pique and slik finished Madres. Tailored in the finest manner and finished with GENUINE pearl buttons.

To make the sale more effective we've taken all of our own \$3.00 and \$4.00 Waists made of similar materials and marked them at the same price-\$1.48.

On account of the very low price at which all the Waists in this sale

Miller Rhoads

and able paster, the Rev. Dr. Henry E. Jeinson, and if the congregation continues to increase, as they have of late, there will doubtless be but few vacant pews in the clurch, if any."

No Formal Ceremonies at Trigg

Ship-Yards Yesterday.

DELINQUENT TAXES.

in Hands of Collector.

This is the last week that license taxes and pipe connection bills may be paid before they become delinquent.

City Coller or Cunningham asks all persons concerned to take notice of this and save themselves from additional cost.

Charters Granted.

The following charters have been granted by the Corporation Commission:
Cockey and Company (Incorporated), of Norfolk, Va.; Norfolk, John T. Cockey, president and treasurer. Capital stock, \$500 to \$10,000.
Shady Pines Social Club (Incorporated), Isle of Wight county. J. D. Moore, president. Capital stock, \$100 to \$1,000.

Judgment Confessed. In the City Circuit Court yesterday judgment was confessed in the matter of W. S. Rogers vs. A. C. Richardson, for

ALLEGED FIREBUG

NOW UNDER ARREST

Ben Johnson Charged With Put-

ting the Torch to Gallego

The case of Ben Johnson, the colored man suspected of having something to do with the burning of the Gallego Mills, was called in the Police Court yesterday and continued to this morning for wit-

Mills.

TREATMENT OF SICK IS TO BE FREE

A Bill to Enable the Medical College of Virginia to Provide Such Service.

Senator George S. Shackelford, of Senator George S. Shackelford, of Orange, will offer in the Senate to-day and one of the Richmond members of the House will offer in that body the same day, a bill appropriating \$17,000 per annum for two years to the Medical College of Virginia for the general purposes of the college and for providing free hiespital treatment to the Indigent sick of the Commonwealth.

The proposed appropriation embraces the five thousand dollars per annum usually appropriated to the college, and thesis thousand dollars additional for

the five thousand dollars per ainum usu-ally appropriated to the college, and twelve thousand dollars additional for free hospital treatment of citizens of this State, provided that sum has been carned by the college under the terms prescribed in the bill. Five thousand per year shall belong to the college, to be expended for its general purposes.

The term hospital treatment is defined to mean honer loading, nursing, medi-

its general purposes.

The term hospital treatment is defined to mean board, lodging, nursing, medicine, medical or surgical treatment and the washing of necessary apparel and hed linen. Such hospital treatment furnished to one person for one day shall be known as "one hospital day." The college is authorized to draw one dollar for each such hospital day. That is to say, tweive thousand persons would have to be treated one day, or sufficient number of cases for sufficient days to make 12,000 "hospital days," as defined by the bill. The bill is safeguarded in various particulars requiring a bond of the dean of the college, reports to the Governor, and other details. All persons receiving free treatment shall be available for clinical purposes. Only letitzens of this State may be treated upder this appropriation. The college may use its discretion as to receiving or declining to receive any patient for free hospital treatment, and may add other requirements as a patient under the terms of this act of any person.

SPILLS OWN BLOOD.

Thief in Fulton Fares Pretty Badly-News Notes.

Badly—News Notes.

A bold attempt was made to rob the Crescent grocery store, at the corner of Williamsburg Avenue and Louisiana Street, early Sunday morning. The thier broke one of the show windows, which contained an assortment of candles, but was frightened away before obtaining anything of much value. Nothing was missed except a portion of the candy. Blood was found on the window frame and also on the floor in the window, which showed that the miscreant evidently sustained some injuries from the broken glass. There are already several clues as to the identity of the parties concerned in the attempted robbery. Invitations have been issued announcing the approaching wedding of Mr.

concerped in the attempted robbery.

Invitations have been issued announcing the approaching wedding of Mr. Char's Grubbs and Miss Sallie Eacho, both of Henrico. The ceremony will take place to-morrow.

Miss Lella Nelson, of Washington, D. C., and Mr. George W. Thomas, of Randolph-Macon College, are visiting their uncle, Captain George W. Anderson.

Isaac Wilds and his family have moved to Indiana, where they will make their future home.

The steamer Brandon, of the Old Dominion 'the arrived Sunday afternoon about 1 o'clock, having been delayed by a dense fog, which hung over the river between Newport News and City Point. The Brandon had the appearance of a brand new steamer, having been overhauled and repainted since she was jammed in the ice at City Point. She left Sunday night for Norfolk at the usual time.

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TO ELECT A SENATOR

The Two Houses of the General Assembly Will Ballot Separately Thereon.

MONUMENT TO M. F. MAURY

Bill Proposing an Appropriation Therefor-Other Bills Offered and Discussed.

The General Assembly yesterday adopted a joint resolution lixing as a special order for 1 P. M. to-day a ballot for a United States senator for the term beginning March 4, 1905, and for confirmation of this action by a joint session of the two houses at noon on Wednesday. Two Senate bills were pussed and another read, and one new bill offered.

The House put in a busier day, especially in the matter of the introduction of new bills. Perhaps the most interesting of the bills offered was the measure of Mr. Stewart, proposing an appropriation of 8,000 for the erection of a statue within the Capitol or on the Square to commemorate the services to the State and to the world of Mathew Fontaine Maury, "the pathfinder of the seas." The bill took the usual course, going to the Finance Committee.

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Considerable discussion, much of it of a facetious or trivial nature, was indulged in while the bill of Mr. Snead, to allow the shooting of snipe at all seasons of the year, was under consideration. The bill was ordered to its engrossment. The general insurance bill, the general road bill and all other important measures went over without action. In fact, no important action was had. Many of the bills offered are local measures of a trivial nature, or bills amending the Code as to legal procedure or powers of officers.

The Senate. The Senate.

The Senate met as usual at noon, with a rather small attendance of members. The passage of two House bills was communicated by the clerk of that body, and

January 26th, the Senate and House separately proceed to ballot for a United States senator to succeed John W. Daniel for the term beginning March 4, 1905, and that on Wednesday, January 27th, the two houses, assembled in John session in the hall of the House of Delegates, proceed to cleet a senator for said term. President Joseph E. Willard will preside over the John tession; John W. Williams will be clerk of the John W. Williams will be clerk of the John thody, with Joseph Button as assistant. The House sergeant-at-arms, doorkeepers and pages will officiate in those capacities at the John tession, which will be held at noon. Wednesday.

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The doctor has for some weeks been delighting his congregation and the church-going people in the West End on Sunday nights with a series of sermois on prominent characters in the Illillille, and they have been highly enloyed. There has been nothing of the sensational order about them, but only the old, old story of the gospel preached with great simplicity, carnostness and effectiveness. There are about twelve sermons in the series gnd Dr. Johnson has preached only about half of them.

On next Sunday morning he will speak on the subject, "Shall We Ignore the Teaching of the Bible to Our Children?" and at night the character of Elijah will be his thome. Nednesday.

Senator Wickham moved that when the Senate adjourn Tuesday it be until 11:45

A. M. Wednesday, in order to give the Senate time to assemble before going to the hall of the House for the joint session. "PENNSY" TUG LAUNCHED.

It is understood that Senator A. F. It is understood that Senator A. F. Thomas, of Campbell, Mr. Daniel's home county, will make the speech placing his name before the Senate. Mr. Opie, of Augusta, and Mr. Patteson, of Buckingham, will make seconding speeches.

The only bill introduced was that of Mr. Greear, of Grayson, for the protection of trout in the waters of Wilson District, in Grayson county. This went to the special joint committee.

Ship-Yards Yesterday.

Che of the two ocean-going tugs being completed for the Pennsylvania Raliway Company at the Prinsylvania Raliway Company at the Trigg Shipyard was lattered yesterday after 4 o'clock. The affair way entirely private and witnessed by no one save the workmen and a few spectators, who gathered upon the bank. The boat took its first plunge gracefully, and there was not a hit in any of the arrangements. Alout six hundred men are now at work at the yards, and the pay roll is something like \$1,000 a day. trict, in Grayson county. This went to a special joint committee.

TWO BILLS PASSED.

These bills were taken up and passed, and now go to the House:

To prescribe the duties of judges of Circuit and Corporation Courts, and to fix the compensation of attorneys for the Commonwealth, relative to violations of the law prohibiting the sale of adulterated and misbranded foods.

To amend and re-enact an act approved April 23, 1903, entitled an act to amend and re-enact section 1747 of the Code of Virginia, regulating the practice of medicine and surgery in Virginia.

The bill of Mr. Phiegar to provide for the protection of books and other property in the State Library, was read a second time, and ordered to its engrossment. This the Last Week Bills Will be

second time, and observed who has been absent for a week or more, owing to the illness and death of his mother, was again in his place at the desk.

The House.

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The House was called to order at noon by Speaker Ryan, and prayer was offered by Rev. F. T. McFaden, of the Presbyterian Church.

Mr. Jennings offered a joint resolution which was agreed to fixing January 26th as the date and 1 colock P. M. as the hour for the election by the two houses separately of a United States senator to succeed Mr. Daniel, and providing for the joint session for confirming said election at 12 o'clock on January 27th. When the introduction of bills was in order, Mr. Stewart, in an impassioned introductory speech of a few moments, in which he paid a glowing tribute to the deeds of the South's great naval hero, offered a measure appropriating \$8,000 for the erection within the Capitol or the square of a suitable monument to Matthew Fontaine Maury.

BILLS INTRODUCED.

The following other bills were offered.

The following other bills were offered and referred along with that of Mr.

By Mr. Adams-To amend the law in rela-tion to the fees of notaries and justices of the tion to the fees of notaries and justices of the peace.

By Mr. Hoge—To amend the law in relation to the tax, so as to allow each family in the State to have one top free of tax.

By Mr. Will the To repeal and re-ena t section 552 of the Code, exempting certain wages of a laboring man who is a householder from distribution of Bedford—To construe the words rairoud!" and "railway" to mean the same in aw.

By Mr. Read—To allow the street mileage of the Code of Johnson was arrested by Detective Hall, Johnson was arrested by Detective Hall, who had him under surveillance for some time. Complaint was first made by Mr. Warner Moore, upon information he had gleaned from persons who saw a man whom they thought to be Johnson, com-

ing down the upper steps of the mill the

night of the fire.

One of these men was Fireman H. F. Keegan, of Truck Company No. 2. He was one of the first to get in the building during the fire. In running up the steps he met a negro coming down with a lantern, and a pair of shoes in his hand. The man acted in a suspicious manner. pheusants and other game birus maps, the pheusants and other game birus maps. By Min propagations.

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The Ladies' Ald Society of Denny Street Methodist Episcopal Church held its regular weekly meeting vesterday afternoon,

The King's Daughters and Sons met last night with the Misses Dowden, on Graham Street.

John Tyree, who was operated upon a yeek ago by Dr. Wilsox, having his right eye removed is getting alorg nicely.

James Eanes, after a pleasant visit to friends and relatives in Powhatan county has returned home.

Dr. Johnson's Sermon,

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are poisonous drugs, naming cocaine and many others.

The Finance Committee reported two bills offered by Mr. Hoge, of Scott, re-lating to the custody of the land books. The House at 1:20 o'clock P. M. ad-journed.

The Annexation Bill.

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The Senate Committee for Counties, Cities and Towns will meet this aftormoon at 3 o'clock in the Senate chamber, Among the bills to be taken up by the committee is the Anderson bill, in relation to the extension of corporate limits of cities and towns. This is substantially the measure passed by the Senate at the last session, but to which the House declined to agree. The House also has several bills on this subject, all different from the Anderson bill. It is probable that some effort will be made by the committee to amend the Anderson bill so as to make it acceptable to both bodies. It is understood that any persons destring to be heard for or against the measure will be listened to by the committee at this meeting.

ELKS GRAND LODGE.

Richmond to be Well Represented at Cincinnati.

Messrs, J. M. Bossleux and T. R. A. ter a flying trip to Cincinnati, relative to

Burke returned to the city yesterday after a flying turiers for Richmond Elks who intend attending the Grand Lodge session in that city in July. They have an option on a few rooms at the hotels, so the members would do well to attend the session of the home lodge Wednesday night and hear their report. They give a glowing account of their treatment in Cincinnati, Nowport, Ky.; Covington, Ky., and Belleview, Ky.

This session of the Grand Lodge will surpass any ever hold. Nearly all the hotels have been ongaged. Mr. Burke stated that they were fortunate in getting these options. Cincinnati expects 60,000 visitors in July, and those who are going would do well to commence arranging now.

At present the following lodges have secured quarters: Philadelphia, 250; Chilalicothe, 125; Cleveland, 250; Detroit, 200; Incothe, 125; Cleveland, 250; Detroit, 300; Norfolk, 100; Saglnaw, 50; Chilache, 125; Chilago, 150; Norfolk, 100; Saglnaw, 200; Jackson, 50; Raltimore, 150; Louisville, 125; anrietta, 75; Toledo, 200; Columbus, 200; Springfield, Mass., 30; Bluefield, 50, and others or the Kentucky side of the river are taking as much interest as the Cincinnati lodge. Those who mot our Governor at Bedford City are anxious to have him attend this session, and no doubt Richmond will send a large delegation to reflect credit to our city. The members are urgently requested to attend the meeting Wednesday night.

For Fair Elections.

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In speaking yesterday of the question of fair elections, Hon. W. H. Gunn, one of the delegates from Norfolk city, sald:
"No election can be made too fair for me If the results of the investigation of the late Democratic primary held in Norfolk convince the State Central Committee of the Democratic party that Mr. W. W. Uld received a majority of Democratic voice cast in said election, I would be willing to resign my seat in the House of Delegates and appeal to the Democratic voices of Notfolk for their confidence and vindication." vind.cation.

Mr. Miley and Wife Here,

Mr. Miley and write liefe,
Mr. And Mrs. Herbert F. Miley, of
Darville, arrived in the city Sunday and
spent that day and yesterday visiting
riends, but Miley was for several years
connected with the press of this city
and is now but the ktaff of the Danville
therister. Her was given a very cordial
greeting by his friends.

Five Odd Shoes.

Five Udd Singes.

Sergeant Thomas, of the Police Court, reports that he has in his archives five oud shoes that were taken from a party in that court. One of them, is a tan. They are supposed to have been stolen, and may be recovered by the owner by application to him, in the Police Court.

Did She Get Alimony?

It is said by the friends here of alleged wife No. 1, of Shireft, the ladies' tailor, who did not appear in court against him when he was to have been tried last week for bisamy, that she received aimony in the sum of \$1.00 in consideration of her non-appearance.

The woman is said now to be ill in Philadelphia.

Aldermen Meet To-night. The Board of Aldermen is called for to-right. President William M. Turple issued the call yesterday. The board is to consider the resolution, coming from the City Council, relating to the salaries and wages of the city employes.

Master Masons' Alliance.

This Master Masons' Alliance will meet to night at 7:30 o'clock at the Smithdeal Hail, Ninth and Broad Streets, to content the Alliance degree. All Master Masons are invited to be present.

Judgment Motion.

In the Law and Equity Court yesterday metron for judgment was filed in the matter of E. A. Saunders Bons' Company vs. George L. Peyton for \$11.30.

QUIT COFFEE

Sald the Great German Specialist.

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It disappoints some people to be told that coffee causes the disease. But it is best to bok squarely at facts and set the face towards health, for that's more fun than anything else, anyhow. A Cincinnati man consulted a Berlin physician on nervous diseases, and says:

"Four years ago I was an habitual coffee drinker, having used it for twenty-five years, and being naturally of a nervous temperument, I became almost anervous wreck, greatly suffering from insomnia, almost constantly constipated, and weighing only 128 pounds.

"I consulted physicians and took medicine all the time, but had no relief. About three years and a half ago I went abroad, and while in Berlin heard frequently of a great physician, Professor Mendel, an authority on nervous trouble, so I resolved to consult him.

"Professor Mendel surprised me very much by asking at once if I was a coffee drinker, and on my telling him I used it two or three times a day, he said, 'It is poison.' After carefully examining me he told me there was nothing the matter with me whatever, but what could be antirely cured in thirty days by letting coffee and other stimulants alone and dieting.

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"I had a hard time following his advice. I did not know what to do until I came home, and told my wife, who got some Postum. We tried it, but at first did not like it; then we went over the directions on the package together, and found we had not bolved it long enough. That was the beginning of the end of my trouble, for the Postum was delicious after that, and I drank it regularly, and it helped from the start.

"In a very short time I began to feel much better, and in the last three years I haven't been absent from husiness one hour on account of ill health, for my health is fine now, I have a good appetite, sleep well, and weigh 175 pounds." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Any peryons person who drinks coffee

Mich.

Any nervous person who drinks coffee will feel better from ten days' use of Postum in place of coffee. Trial easily proves this. There's a reason.

Look in each package for a copy of the famous little book, "The Road to Wellvive."

Members of the Legislature

AND OTHERS who intend participating in the receptions and other social functions of the week, will find here-ready for immediate delivery-an unsurpassed line of

Full Dress and Prince Albert Suits.

Only the right kind, of course-and everything necessary to wear with them-in Hats, Shoes, Linen, Neckwear and Gloves.

Gans-Rady Company

Virginia Fife and Company, Lamb and Vaughan, assignee, Filippo vs. Virginia Fire and Marine Insurance Company being Nos, 46, 47 and 48 on argu-ment docket.

Property Transfers. Richmond—William H. Dunn and others to largaret J. Manning, 24 815-12 foot on south de Park Avenue, 49 1115-12 feet east of Wal-ut Street 18 250

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Reward Offered.

Keward Unered.

A letter has been received at police headquarters asking that search be made for Fred L. Tyler, lete assistant cashier of the Actna Life Insurance Company, of Detroit. He is wanted for embezziement, and a reward of \$200 is offered. The man is twenty-two years old, five feet ten inches in height, weight about 190 pounds, light complexion, light brown hair and moustache, wears glasses and drosses well. He deserted his wife and left a note saying he was about to commit suicide.

Lady Maccabees.

Killed the Horse.

Grand Masque Ball.

For a Pleasapt Evening.

Seeks Information.

iot: her daughter in New York, and come to this city, or section.
Any information will be properly forwarded by Major Howard.

Academy of Medicine.

There will be a regular meeting of the Richmond Academy of Medicine and Surgery this evening at 8:39 o'clock sharp, at T. P. A. building, Third and Main Streets.

Visiting Here.

Mayor Jeffress Here.

The Hon. T. D. Jeffress, mayor of Clines City, was in the city yesterday and was warmly greeted by his many frends here.

MANY SINNERS IN THE POLICE COURT

Justice John Assessed a Large Number of Fines-Two Grand Jury Cases.

If Justice John had collected all the fines he imposed yesterday, one month's salary would have been made.

John White attempted to cut John Septi. 18

John White attempted to the John Scott; \$10.

William Brown, alias Knee Bone; beat Lucinda Davis; \$20.

Henry Christian, drunk and disorderly in a bar-room, \$10.

Archer Brown, craps, \$5. Eleanor Ray, hit Dawas Tinsley with

bottle, \$2.50.
Etta Allen, Mary Starke, Austin Quarles, J. T. Welchor, J. J. Murphy, J. P. Castle, disorderly on street, \$2.50 each. Charles Rosser was put under bonds for sixty days on the charge of threatening to kill V. Donati. Rosser attempted to hang himself in his cell at the First Station Saturday night, but he bore no lill offect wasterday.

Staton Saturday Man, activities ill effects yesterday.

W. E. Thomas was sent to jail for ninety days for taking two chickens.

William Brown and William Ball were sent on to the grand jury for holding up Emmett Stanley and taking \$1.25 from billy.

the Caroline county authorities on the charge of abducting Irene Moore from her home in that county.

Clarence Payne and Archer Brown were put under security for sixty days as suspicious characters.

A large sumher of plets desires as

A large number of plain drunks were passed along.

MAY CAUCUS TO-NIGHT.

Two Candidates for Captain A. O. Sullivan's Old Place.

O. Sullivan's Old Place.

It is likely that there will be a caucus of the Democratic members of the House of Delegates to-night, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the position of doorkeeper of the House, left vacant by the death of Captain A. O. Sullivan, of Montgomery. There has been no call as yet, but it would take only an announcement from the desk to-day to secure a conference. The pay of the office will not begin until he shall have been chosen, so whoever he shall be is losing chosen, so whoever he shall be is losing

money by waiting.

There are two aspirants for the place, they being Colonel S. M. Newhouse, of Culpeper, and Hon. J. D. Reynolds, of Chatham, both former members of the

SPRING STREET HOME.

Annual Donation Day to be Observed on Wednesday.

served on Wednesday.

Wednesday, the 7th, will be observed as Donation Day at the Spring Street. Home, No. 601. Spring Street.

The home will be open all day, and all contributions and cifts will be gratefully received, whether they are large or small, or money or goods. The officers of the institution are: Mrs. Jamos Pleasants, president; Mrs. J. W. Lynham, treasurer, Mrs. Judge L. L. Lewis, recording secretary; Miss Bettie Ellyson, corresponding recretary; Mrs. Dr. J. S. Welford, Mrs. E. O. Nolting, Mrs. Landon R. Mason, recretary; Mrs. Dr. J. S. Wedford, Mrs. E. O. Nolting, Mrs. Landon R. Mason, Mrs. Preston Nash. Mrs. James Allison, Mrs. Josiah Ryland, Mrs. J. N. Gullingworth, Mrs. Dr. C. V. Carrington, Mrs. Charles E. Watkins, Mrs. Robert McComber, Mrs. Henry G. Cannon, Mrs. J. W. Blunt, Mrs. Freeman, Mrs. P. J. White, Mrs. Barker, Mrs. Frank McGuire, Mrs. Hahr.

COMMISSION NOW HAS IT. Law Changed so as to Give Them

Control of Bank Matters.

For the first time in its life the Corporation Commission will to-day issue blanks to the various State banks of Virginia for statements of their business up to a certain date. Heretofore this power has been ledged with the State Auditor, but the last Legislature changed the law, giving it to the commission.

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The calls are made for the same time when the national Comptroller of Cur-rency makes his upon the national banks. This time it will be up to the close of business on January 22d. The change in the State law enlarges the authority of the commissioner over that of the auditor, in the matter of making examinations of State banks.

SHRINERS TO MEET,

Potentate Phillips Sends Out His Characteristic Notice.

Illustrious Potentate C. H. Phillips, of Acea Temple, Mystle Shrine, has issued notices for the meeting of the shrine at the temple on Thursday night.

The notice is a typical one, and characteristic of the writer.

This meeting will be an important one, and all members are requested to be on hand, as there are some pilgrims to put over the sands.

Hurt in a Runaway.

Mr. J. H. Swith, a student at the Medical College of Virginia, was painfully hurt in a runaway accident near Lakesids Sunday afternoon. The horse ran away and the buggy struck a trolley and the buggy struck a trolley noie, throwing Mr. Smith out, His face was cut and scratched and he suffered a shock. He was treated by Dr. Rex. of the Ambulance Corys. Mr. Smith's companion, a fellow-student, was not hurt.

Supreme Court of Appeals. The proceedings of the Supreme Court of Appeals yesterday were as follows: Pariett vs. Dunn; argued by Robert M. Hughes for appellant, and Harry K. Wel-

submitted. Consumers' Brewing Company' vs. Doyle's administratrix; argued by G. M. Dillard for appellant, and continued. Next cases to be called! Virginia Fire and Marine Insurance Company. Filippo vs. Lamb and Variation FOR WASHINGTON

To Call on the President and Congressman Sullivan and Invite Them to Richmond.

The committee from Dixle Acrie of Eagles, to invite the President and Con-gressman Sullivan to come to Richmond

pressman Sullivan to come to Richmond to take part in the anniversary exercises of the aeric on March 2id, will heave for Washington this morning.

A telegram was received from Congressman Sullivan yesterday, saying he would be in the city to receive them. This committee was to have gone last week, but postponed their trip because of the absence from the city of Congressman Sullivan. Sullivan. Hon. C. T. Bland, of Portsmouth, will

Hon, C. T. Bland, of Portsmouth, with meet the committee in Washington. Mr. Bland is a member of Dixle Acric, The committee consists of the following gentiemen; William Reubens, Ralph Levy, J. H. Campbell, E. R. Fuller, J. W. Billey, P. T. Murphy, C. I. McKee, J. C. West, George E. Guvernator, Gus Berdini, James Baccigalupa, C. Raab.

The anniversary will be celebrated at Musche's Hotel with an entertainment

HORSE FELL ON HIM.

Boy Burned to Death in Orange County-Berryville Lady Ill.

A special review of Richmond Hive, No. 3, Lady Maccabees, will be held tonight at 8 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Charles Cosby. No. 40 West Marshall Street.

Members having application cards or names to present are urged to make a special effort to be present. If cards are sent to the record-keeper on or before the above date, they will be promptly attended to. County—Berryville Lady III.

(Gree's in The Times-Dispatch.)
FREDDRICKSBURG, VA. Jan. 25.—Mr.
John R. Shearwood, a well known citizen of Essex county, had his leg broken a few days ago in three places. He was riding horseback, when the horse slipped on the ice and fell, catching Mr. Shearwood under him. with the result as stated, William Crawford, a young son of well known parents in Greene county, was fatally burned a few days ago. He had been left in a room while his mother went out for a short time. Before she returned his clothes caught fire from the open freplace. His mother arrived in time to make a desperate effort to extinguish the fire, but the child was so badly burned that he died in a short time.
Mr. Stephen Hicks, a former resident of, Rappahannock county, died recently at his home at Inman, Tenn., at the advanced age of eighty-four years.
Mrs. Susan Taylor, of Berryville, who has been ill with pneumonia at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Powhatan Moncure, in Stafford county, where she was visiting, has been taken to the Virginia Hospital for treatment. Dr. Hugil Taylor came up and accompanied her to the hospital in Richmond. Sine is thought to be seriously iii. Agent Emmett Taylor, of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, put a suffering horse out of its misery at First and Leigh Streets yesterday morning. The horse belonged to M. Massi, of North Seventeenth Street, and had been struck by a street car. Nobody was hurt. A thief broke the front window of the Crescent Grocery Company's store, at Williamsburg Avenue and Louisland Street, early Sunday morning, and took unto himself a lot of candy. The thief's hand was cut, and spots of blood were found on the window and pavement. A grand Masque ball.

A grand masque ball will be given Monda, evening, February sth. at Belvidere Hall for the benefit of Friendship Rebecca Lodge, No. 11, 1, 0, 0, F. There will be a grand march at 9 o'clock. Four prizes will be awarded to the four best masques. Refreshments will be on hand, A most encyable evening is in prospect and the attendance will probably be very large.

New Industries.

(Brecial to The Times-Dispatch.)

CHATTANOOGA, TENN., Jan. 25.—The progress in Southern industrial devel pment for the week just closed, as reported by The Tradesman, includes the following new organizations as among the most important:

NORTH CAROLINA.

Greenville-\$16.000 buggy company.
Hiddentie-Granite quarries.

Ashboro-\$20.000 bobbin factory.

VirgiNiA.

Norfolk-\$100,000 land and building company.

The hall of the House of Delegates has been granted Mrs. Fred. Jones on Feoruary 4th, at eight-thirty F. M., for a select reading. She will be assisted by the Virginia Glee Club. The indications are that, there will be a full house, and the event is looked forward to with pleasure by many of our people. Roanoke-\$10,000 construction company. McDonald's Mill-\$5,000 telephone com

pany.

Stanardsville-\$10,000 telephone company,
Compton-Stone company,
Richmond-Cold storage plant.

Whoeling-lee factory, \$10,000 oil and
gas company, \$25,000 gas heating com-Mujor Howard has received a letter from Helon Temple, No. 36 Pearl Street, seeking information about Mrs. Catherine Mcun. or Mowan, a lady about sixty-nine years old, who is believed to have letter in New York, and come

gas company, \$25,000 gas heating com-pany. Oak Forest-\$60,000 coal mining com-pany. any. Logan-\$150,000 furniture factory. Moundsville-\$50,000 quarrying company. Parkersburg-\$600,000 oil and gas com-

pany. Clarksburg-\$25,000 hardware company. Charleston-\$25,000 foundry and machine shops, \$10,000 automobile factory.

Mrs. Martin Very Ill.

The many friends of Mrs. Jennie Mar-tin, widow of Mr. B. W. Martin, who has been very sick at her home, near Hallsboro, will be grieved to learn that her condition late last evening was thought by her physician to be very crit-ical. Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Cohen and Miss Minrie, of Philadelphia, are visiting frands and relatives in this city. They are stopping with Mrs. E. Adams. No. 714 East Clay Street. Mr. Cohen is here for als health. Associated Charities.

The Committee on Associated Charities will meet Monday arternoon next at 3 o'clock in St. Paul's Episcopal Church. This Rev. H. P. Atkins has been apported to represent the Disciples' denomination.

RHEUMATISM JOINTS AND MUSCLES SWOLLEN AND STIFF

A disease so painful and far-reaching in its effects

A disease so painful and far-reaching in its effects upon the human system as Rheumatism, must have a deep and well-laid foundation. It originates and develops in the blood, and, like other diseases of the blood, is frequently inherited. The poisonous acids with which the blood is charged circulate through the system, breaking down the health, irritating the nerves, settling in joints and muscles, and causing the sharp, cutting pains peculiar to Rheumatism. Unless the blood is purified, joints and muscles become coated with the acrid matter and are rendered stiff and sore, and the nerves completely wrecked. Rheumatism, being a constitutional blood disease, requires internal treat-

dered stiff and sore, and the well man, nerves completely wrecked, 1856 Mt. Vernon Avs. R. H. OHAPMAN. Rheumatism, being a constitutional blood disease, requires internal treatment. Liniments, plasters and such things as are applied outwardly, give only temporary relief. S.S.S. is the recognized greatest of all blood purifiers and tonics, and in no disease does it act so promptly and beneficially as Rheumatism, neutralizing the acids and restoring the blood to a pure, healthy condition and invigorating and toning up the nerves and all parts of the system. It is guaranteed strictly vegetable. Write us should you desire medical advice, which will cost you nothing.

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